

SEC. 6. That if the said highway commission shall fail and refuse to begin the construction of the road, authorized in section one hereof, at the time herein *provided*, or within a reasonable time thereafter, the members of said commission shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined or imprisoned, in the discretion of the court.

Refusal to begin road made misdemeanor.

SEC. 7. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Conflicting laws repealed.

SEC. 8. That this act shall be in full force and effect from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 18th day of March, A.D. 1929.

## CHAPTER 474

### AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 334, PUBLIC-LOCAL LAWS 1923, RELATING TO THE APPLICATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That section twelve of chapter three hundred thirty-four, Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred twenty-three, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the following section to be known as "section twelve" inserted in lieu thereof:

Section 12.  
Chapter 334.  
Public-Local  
Laws, 1923,  
amended.

"Sec. 12. That the proceeds derived from the collection of all assessments levied under this act may, in the discretion of the board of commissioners of Buncombe County, be set aside and appropriated for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of any bonds or notes which were issued to make any of the improvements referred to in this act."

Distribution of proceeds derived from special assessments.

SEC. 2. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Conflicting laws repealed.

SEC. 3. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this the 18th day of March, A.D. 1929.

## CHAPTER 475

### AN ACT TO FIX THE COMPENSATION OF THE REGISTER OF DEEDS OF CHEROKEE COUNTY WHILE ACTING AS CLERK TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND FOR PREPARING THE TAX LISTS.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That the register of deeds of Cherokee County shall hereafter receive a sum not exceeding four dollars per day for his service of ex-officio clerk to the board of commissioners of Cherokee County, and shall also receive a reasonable allow-

Compensation of Register of Deeds of Cherokee County for special duties.